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TO: Minerals File

FROM: Lynn Kunzler, Reclamation Specialist *LK*

RE: Site Inspection, Utah Building Stone, Grouse Creek Quarry Mine, *m* S/003/031, Box Elder County, Utah

Date of Inspection: July 6, 1995  
Time of Inspection: 10:00am  
Conditions: clear  
Participants: William and Preston Bown, Operators; Dan Washington, BLM and Lynn Kunzler, DOGM

Purpose of Inspection: Document site conditions and look at proposed new road alignments

We began the inspection by looking at the old camp area. This is located on private ground and is currently used by hunters. We then proceeded to the Proposed Sandalwood pit area (on BLM ground) and discussed development of this pit and access roads. The Bown's were informed that permission would need be obtained from private land owners before new roads were constructed on the private land areas.

The Middle Slide area was next. This is located on State Trust Lands. Past operations have included hand picking of stone. The Bown's discussed the potential of improving access and bringing in an excavator to operate this pit with.

The Rusty Rock pit is also currently being operated by hand picking float rock. They have proposed a new access route to this area which was viewed. Future plans were discussed regarding development of a quarry pit along the ridge above the Rusty Rock. The Bown's are hopeful that they can cut blocks material out of this site for a developing European market.

The inspection ended with an overview of the South Slide area and proposed new road alignment and reclamation of several existing roads in this area. A meeting was scheduled for July 20, 1995 in the Division offices to review maps that the BLM has and discuss permitting as a large mining operation and timeframes for submitting a Plan of Operations (Notice).

